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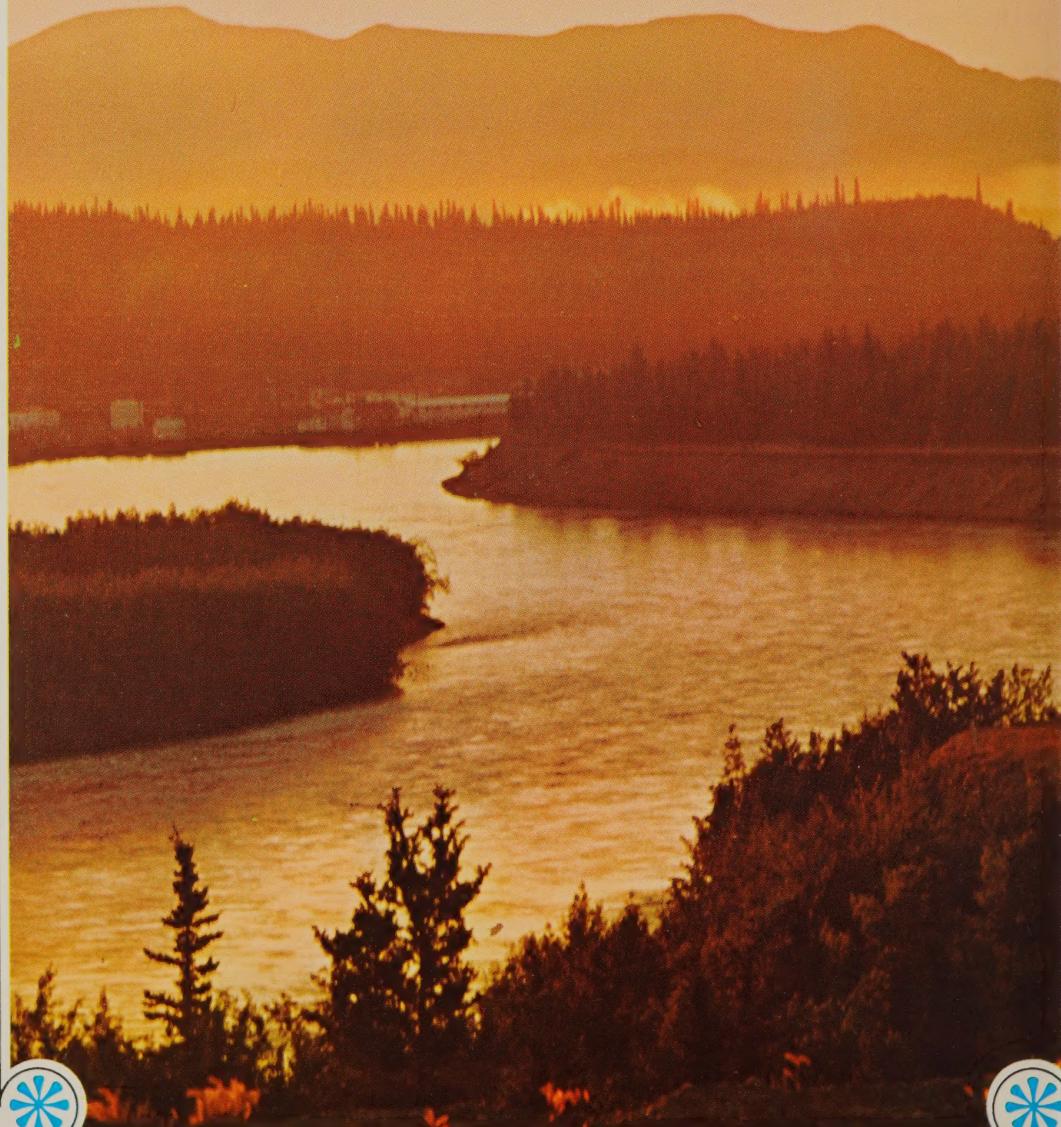


ROAD TO

Yukon Adventure

The
Alaska Highway

*Sunset over the Yukon
River near Whitehorse,
Yukon Territory*



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Introduction to a Yukon Adventure

The modern automobile traveller with a taste for adventure has a wonderful journey awaiting him along the Alaska Highway.

The 1,523-mile Highway winds its scenic way from Mile 0 at Dawson Creek, British Columbia, through Canada's storied Yukon to Fairbanks, Alaska, and it ranks high on the list of world-renowned vacation routes. It passes through an exciting rugged frontier land, rich in natural beauty and remote from civilization. All but 300 miles of the road lies in Canada.

This unique trip will take you through a land of mystery and enchantment. You will see a densely-forested Rocky Mountain region, and drive past silent tree-lined lakes, along spruce- and birch-clad river valleys offering scenes of breath-taking beauty. The whole region cut by the Highway is a sportsman's paradise.

Fishermen find superb sport in the swift-running streams and in the clear, icy northern lakes. You may stop along the way and try your luck with the elusive Arctic grayling, giant lake trout and rainbow trout; and, in season, the hunter will find moose, Dall sheep, bear and other big game in abundance.

Careful planning is the key to a successful and carefree vacation along the Alaska Highway. Schedule your trip for the period from June to October. At other times of the year you may experience extreme winter cold and, during spring thaws, driving is sometimes uncomfortable and difficult for a pleasure trip. The road, however, is open all year long; and it is the finest all-weather gravel highway in Canada. As the Alaska Highway is not a paved road, dust conditions are bound to be encountered in dry weather. The road alignment, grades and sight distances are good and it is possible to average an ordinary day's driving on the Highway. You can also plan on having up to 20 hours of daylight in this part of the country during the summer period.

Mosquitoes and black flies may be encountered in some areas but, if you carry a supply of some of the modern repellents, the insects won't mar your trip in any way. It's best to remember, too, that nights in the northern mountain regions can be quite cool, even in midsummer. So if you're planning on camping along the Highway come prepared with a set of blankets and some warm clothing.

Accommodation, stores, meals, gas, oil and repairs are available along the entire route, and if you like to camp out there's plenty of opportunity, including campgrounds with cooking and other facilities.

Let's take a look at some of the exciting things to see along the Highway. At Fort Nelson, the road winds through the most northerly extension of the Rocky Mountain range, climbing to the highest point on the route at Summit Lake, Mile 392, where the elevation is 4,156 feet.

Hot springs bubble out of the ground in the vicinity of Toad River Gorge and the Liard River, nearly 500 miles north of Dawson Creek. Hence the Indian legend of "Paradise Valley", enshrouded in mystery and abundant with tropical flowers and vegetation.

If you're a camera enthusiast, take plenty of colour film, for the scenic splendour of the Alaska Highway is perhaps unsurpassed anywhere in the world. Views of exceptional beauty may be seen at Muncho Lake in the Canadian Rockies, Teslin Lake, Mile 804, which bears the Indian word for "long" and winds for many miles along the Highway. At Mile 1,064 you will see the inspiring mountain scenery around Kluane Lake, largest in the Yukon, and just 20 miles from Haines Junction the Kathleen Lakes provide the setting for one of the most beautiful scenes in the Canadian Northwest.

Whitehorse, capital of the Yukon, Headquarters of the Department of Public Works and communications and mining centre, combines the conveniences of a modern city with all the colour of a bustling frontier community. Visitors can see the unique Indian burial ground north of the city. Some of the graves are covered by small houses, in which dishes, tobacco, pipes and other items are often placed in the belief that the spirits might return.

In Whitehorse old sternwheeler steamships are sitting on wooden piles in a group along the river bank. These are the last survivors of the Gold Rush Flotilla and the once heavy water-borne commerce on the Yukon River from Whitehorse downstream to Dawson and beyond. Visitors, too, can see the MacBride Museum in the city which houses a good display of items collected from the Gold Rush period.

Just six miles south of Whitehorse a road leads from the Alaska Highway to Miles Canyon, an unusual slash in the earth, where the clear green waters of the Yukon River swirl past multi-coloured cliffs of volcanic rock which rise to heights of 125 feet and more.

A suspension bridge across the Canyon gives visitors a chance to view the rushing waters at close range. Construction of a hydro dam has considerably tamed the turbulent waters faced by the Gold Rush prospectors.

On the east side of the Canyon you can walk a scenic trail winding along the cliffs and follow the route of one of the most unusual tramways ever built. It was constructed in 1898 to transport supplies and equipment past the dangerous Canyon and Whitehorse Rapids, and was made entirely of wood. Wagonloads of miners' goods were transported by freight wagons which ran on wooden rails and were drawn by horses. Headquarters for this strange railway was Canyon City, built on a gentle back-water in the river just one mile above the Canyon, and the wooden rails were laid from Canyon City to Whitehorse—a distance of five miles. Traces of the rails can still be seen, and though little remains of Canyon City, you can still see the outlines of the buildings, and the rock piers of an extensive dock are still in place.

An alternate route from Whitehorse to the State of Alaska passes through Dawson City and is always a rewarding experience. The famed centre of the Klondike Gold Rush, it has many reminders of this earlier time. You'll see the Palace Grand Theatre, Robert Service's cabin and the Sternwheeler "Keno". You can visit the placer workings in the Klondike River Valley, or drive up the mountain known as "Midnight Dome" for a spectacular panoramic view of the region. The section of this highway from Whitehorse to Mayo and Dawson City is open year-round, but the stretch from Dawson City to the junction with Alaska Highway No. 5 (Taylor Highway) is open during the summer months only.

In Dawson and Whitehorse visitors shop for such delightful handicraft items as delicate prehistoric mastodon ivory carvings, jewelry fabricated from raw gold panned in nearby creeks, or unusual pieces of Indian beadwork.

The Alaska Highway has all the ingredients required for a memorable vacation — it's a journey that will take you to the top of the world.

Alaska Highway Canadian Section

Construction of the Alaska Highway, once known as the Alcan Highway, began in March, 1942, as a military route and was completed in 1943. Its total length from Dawson Creek, British Columbia to Fairbanks, Alaska, is 1,523 miles, of which 1,221 miles are in Canada and 302 miles in Alaska. It is paved from Dawson Creek to approximately Mile 83. The remainder of the Highway has a gravelled, all-weather surface to the Yukon-Alaska Boundary. It ranks as one of the finest gravelled highways anywhere, and is open to travel throughout the year. It is administered and maintained by the Department of Public Works, from Headquarters located at Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

The Alaska Highway through Canada commences at Dawson Creek, British Columbia (Mile 0.0) and enters Alaska at Mile 1,221. Dawson Creek is the terminus of a branch of the Northern Alberta Railways (495 miles from Edmonton) and is also serviced by the Pacific Great Eastern Railway from North Vancouver (720 miles). Pacific Great Eastern's Northern Terminus is Fort St. John (at Milepost 49 Alaska Highway).

Border Crossing Information

Crossing the U.S.-Canadian border either way is made without difficulty or delay by citizens or permanent residents of the U.S.A. They do not require passports. To assist officers of both nations, however, native-born U.S. citizens should carry identifying papers such as birth,

baptismal or voter's certificate, or other documents establishing their citizenship. Other residents from the United States are advised to have either a Naturalization Certificate or an Alien Registration Receipt Card. Motorists should carry car registration cards.

Persons entering Canada with the intention of driving over the Alaska Highway should ensure that they have sufficient funds in cash, travellers' cheques, etc., to finance the trip. Due to the scarcity of banks between larger communities, commercial establishments located along the Alaska Highway recommend that motorists carry money in bills of small denominations to pay for services. To help you decide the amount needed, estimate the overall driving distance and the length of time involved, expenses for gas and oil, food and lodging, and allow a reasonable sum for possible repairs.

Entry of Vehicles

Automobiles and trailers will be admitted without payment of any duty or fee. Be sure to carry your Vehicle Registration Card. Commercial vehicles must be bonded.

Operation of Radio Communication Equipment

The operation in Canada of certain types of two-way mobile radio equipment installed in vehicles, pleasure boats, etc., or personally carried, as well as certain classes of amateur radio equipment, may be authorized by licence or otherwise permitted. U.S. citizens visiting Canada may be issued a Tourist Radio Service Licence for Citizens Radio Service stations licensed in the U.S. as class "D" stations. Also, radio telephone equipment having a power input of 100 milliwatts or less, operating in the 26.97-27.27 MC/s band, may be operated in Canada without formal licensing. Application forms, regulatory information, etc., may be obtained on request by writing to the Regional Superintendent, Radio Regulations, Department of Transport nearest the proposed port of entry. These officials are at: 739 West Hastings Street, Vancouver 1, B.C.; Federal Building, 9820 - 107th Street, Edmonton, Alberta; Winnipeg General Post Office Building, 266 Graham Avenue, Winnipeg 1, Manitoba; 25 St. Clair Avenue East, Toronto, Ontario; Regional Administration Bldg., Dorval, Québec; Federal Building, P.O. Box 42, 1081 Main Street, Moncton, N.B.

Baggage, Furniture and Equipment

You may bring into Canada, free of duty or deposit, personal belongings, sporting equipment, radios, musical instruments, still and moving picture cameras, film and flashbulbs in an amount which is considered to be reasonable and appropriate to the non-resident's visit, typewriters for personal use, 50 cigars, 200 cigarettes, two pounds of tobacco, 40 ounces of alcoholic beverage per adult person, two days' food supply per person and gasoline not to exceed the normal tank capacity of the vehicle

Foodstuffs for consumption in Canada in excess of the two days' allowance per person are subject to Customs

Seaplane dock at
Whitehorse, capital of
Yukon Territory



assessment at the border port of entry. Additional quantities of consumable goods may be carried in transit to Alaska without payment of duty provided they are in containers which can be easily sealed by Customs officials at the port of entry.

Your household effects, tools of trade or items of merchandise not ordinarily considered as normal baggage may be brought in on a tourist permit and released without security, if they are carried to and from Alaska in your vehicle or in a small personally-owned trailer. The traveller should have an inventory of goods in triplicate.

Dogs originating in the United States may be admitted as personal baggage into Canada at any Customs port of entry if they are accompanied by a certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian of Canada or the United States certifying that the dog has been vaccinated against rabies during the preceding twelve months and the certificate includes a reasonably complete and legible description of the dog together with the date of vaccination.

Firearms — Fishing Tackle

A visitor does not require a Federal permit to possess rifles, shotguns or fishing tackle in Canada. He must, however, provide Customs with a description of such equipment and serial numbers of guns so that the articles may be readily cleared upon leaving Canada. Such permission does not give the right to hunt or fish.

Hunting and fishing are governed by provincial laws (comparable to State laws in the U.S.). Specific laws in all provinces and the Yukon must be observed. Non-resident licences are required for the Yukon and each province where the visitor plans to hunt or fish. When rifles and shotguns are carried in transit, the visitor should ensure that he is familiar with the laws of the province through which he is travelling.

In British Columbia, non-residents may have firearms or fishing tackle in their possession while in transit either by private car or public conveyance without need of a licence or seal. In Alberta, rifles and shotguns carried in transit must remain stowed in the car at all times. Two hundred (200) rounds of ammunition per person are admitted duty free.

Note

Under the provisions of the Customs Tariff Act and the Criminal Code of Canada which is administered by the provinces, revolvers, pistols and fully automatic weapons are prohibited importation by non-residents of Canada.

The Attorneys General of the provinces concerned have agreed to allow non-residents entering Canada west of the Ontario-Manitoba border, on a through journey between the United States proper and Alaska, to carry such weapons in their baggage provided they are carried in containers that can be sealed by Customs at the port of

entry and remain sealed to the port of exit from Canada. If, at the port of exit, there is evidence that the seals have been tampered with, the firearms will be confiscated.

Provincial Approach Roads

Dawson Creek, British Columbia, the starting point (Mile 0) of the Alaska Highway, can be reached from southern points by excellent paved highways.

Via British Columbia, travel Highways 1 and 97 a distance of approximately 748 miles from Vancouver or 761 miles from Osoyoos, at the Washington State Border. Travel Highways 2, 16, 43, 34 and 2 through Alberta from Coutts (756 miles) or Carway (712 miles).

Highways through the Prairie Provinces via Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon and Edmonton offer more direct connections to motorists from the east and central parts of the North American Continent.

Current road reports for Alberta and British Columbia may be obtained from the Director, Alberta Government Travel Bureau, Edmonton, Alberta and from the Department of Travel Industry, c/o Parliament Bldgs., Victoria, British Columbia, respectively.

Special Provincial Trailer Restrictions

There are no trailer restrictions on Alberta highways except in certain National Parks.

In British Columbia, the maximum vehicle-trailer dimensions are as follows: on Schedule One highways (i.e., #97 and #1) the combined overall length is 65 feet, the width 8 feet 6 inches and the height 13 feet 6 inches; on secondary routes, the maximums are 60 feet overall length, width 8 feet and height 13 feet 6 inches. Buses on all highways, 40 feet. Upon entering the province, permits for over-length, over-width or over-length-over-width, may be obtained from the Department of Commercial Transport, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, or any Government Agent, motor-vehicle licence office or weigh-scale station.

A few steep grades will be encountered on the Alaska Highway, and travellers who plan to use house-trailers should make sure that the towing vehicle has adequate power to pull the load contemplated. The following may serve as a general guide:

- Trailers up to 22 feet in length — six-cylinder car,
- Trailers 22-25 feet in length — eight-cylinder car,
- Trailers 25-35 feet in length — $\frac{3}{4}$ -ton pickup truck,
- Trailers 35 feet and over — 1-ton pickup truck.

If your motor vehicle-trailer combination is more than 60 feet long, 8 feet wide or 14 feet high, you must get a permit to travel over the Alaska Highway from the Department of Public Works, P.O. Box 2706, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory. Phone 668-2181.

Vehicle Load and Dimension Regulations • ALASKA HIGHWAY

Maximum overall length 60 feet
Maximum overall width 8 feet
Maximum single axle load 18,000 lbs.
Maximum tandem axle load 32,000 lbs.
Maximum load, wheelbase 55 feet
and over 73,300 lbs.

Vehicles exceeding these limits must obtain permits from the following Highway Offices:

Dept. of Public Works
P.O. Box 840
Fort Nelson, British Columbia
Phone 774-6956

B.C. weigh scale operator
Mile 51, Alaska Highway.

Applications for permits for overloads in excess of 25% above normal, and problems arising from issued permits, will be referred to:

The District Director
Dept. of Public Works
Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

Maximum Speed Limits • ALASKA HIGHWAY

	<i>British Columbia</i>	<i>Yukon Territory</i>
Passenger Vehicles	50 miles per hr.	50 miles per hr.
Trucks	50 miles per hr.	50 miles per hr.
Camp areas	30 miles per hr.	30 miles per hr.
Passing road maintenance equipment	30 miles per hr.	30 miles per hr.

Cars with Tubeless Tires

Motorists using tubeless tires are advised to carry spare inner tubes while travelling the Alaska Highway. Should wheel rims become damaged inner tubes can then be used in the tires to continue the journey.

Road Conditions

Weather has a great influence on travelling conditions along the Alaska Highway. The following summary will give a general idea of seasonal conditions:

December — January — February

During these months snowfall usually averages from 10 to 15 inches a month, and the Highway is generally in good condition. Hard-packed snow provides smooth driving. Below-zero weather prevails at this time of year. Precautions should be taken to have necessary clothing for protection against such weather. Automobiles should be completely winterized to withstand 60°F. below-zero temperatures. Tire chains, tow-rope, shovel and means to produce fire should be brought along. A block heater is helpful for cold weather starting.

March — April — May

Melting snow creates icy conditions during March. Throughout the months of April and May the Highway is usually poor owing to spring thaws. During this period highway maintenance authorities may find it necessary to restrict travel in certain sections. This may involve short delays until repair work can be completed by maintenance crews. In such cases warning signs are prominently displayed. The motorist is advised to drive with extra caution during these months and to carry tire chains, tow-rope and shovel.

June — July — August — September

These months are the most favourable for motoring. The days are warm, with cool evenings. The road is well graded, although a long dry spell tends to make it dusty. It is suggested that motorists travelling at this time should carry a good spare tire, insect repellent and a basic set of car tools. It is also advisable that the underpart of the gasoline tank be protected with a piece of rubber tire or inner tube against flying gravel.

When heavy dust conditions are encountered, headlights should be used for better visibility, and tail lights should be kept dirt-free. Headlights should not be "blacked out" by use of cardboard or other material.

October — November

During October and November, rain, light snow and frost cause slipperiness. Travellers should acquaint themselves with highway conditions. This information is usually posted at telephone repeater stations or highway maintenance camps en route and is broadcast daily over the CBC Yukon Network whose stations can be heard on practically all highways. Chains, a container of sand and a shovel should be carried.

Elsewhere in this booklet will be found charts showing average daily maximum and minimum temperatures, also average monthly rainfall and snowfall along the Canadian section of the Highway.

Haines Highway

The Haines Road, 159 miles in length, connects the port of Haines, Alaska and its Alaska ferry terminus with the Alaska Highway at Haines Junction (Mile 1016), 98 miles west of Whitehorse. During the period from mid-October until mid-April motorists must use chains, carry a shovel and check on road conditions prior to departure at Haines if travelling north or at Haines Junction if travelling south. The route is very scenic.

Whitehorse — Mayo — Dawson Highways

The Whitehorse-Mayo-Dawson route is divided into two sections. Both are good gravel roads open to traffic year round. Mayo Highway (Mile 0.0) commences at Mile 925, Alaska Highway and terminates at Keno (Mile 287). Mile 0.0 of the Dawson Highway is at Stewart River Crossing (Mile 213 Mayo Highway) and the distance to Dawson City is 113 miles.

Sixty-Mile Road

The highway from Dawson City northwest to the Alaska Border is open during the summer season only. At the border the Sixty-Mile Road becomes the Taylor Highway and connects with the Alaska Highway at Tetlin Junction. The ferry across the Yukon River at Dawson City operates night and day throughout the summer months except between the hours of 6 and 7 p.m., and 12 midnight and 1 a.m. This route from Dawson City to the Alaska Highway has a magnificent setting and is generally referred to as the "Skyline Highway."

Canol Road

The 138 miles of Canol Road, from the Alaska Highway to Ross River, has been rebuilt but is suitable for summer automobile travel only.

It is a very interesting journey but there are no facilities whatsoever between the Alaska Highway and Ross River and only limited facilities at Ross River; i.e., one service station, small store, some accommodation.

Watson Lake to Carmacks Road

The entire length of the highway is gravel surfaced, with that portion between Watson Lake and Ross River having a width of 18 feet, while the remaining stretch to Carmacks is 24 feet in width. The highway stretches 362 miles through rugged and varied scenery of forests, mountains, lakes and valleys. The 120-mile section from Faro to Carmacks is reported as rough.

There are no service stations or motels until Faro, but camping grounds have been erected at Simpson Lake, Mile 50, and the townsite of Ross River. Motorists are asked to watch for large trucks driving south from Mile 68, at the intersection of the Nahanni Range Road that leads to the Canada Tungsten Mine, well worth a visit to those interested in mining.

One of the more scenic spots between Faro and Carmacks is Little Salmon Lake, situated in a valley replete

Beached paddlewheeler
"Casca" at Whitehorse



with game and excellent fishing. Motorists can use an alternate route when returning from Carmacks, by getting on the Canol Road at Mile 220, and driving south to Johnson's Crossing and the Alaska Highway.

Telephone & Telegraph Services

Canadian National Telecommunications provides modern communication facilities from Mile 58 along the Alaska Highway to the Alaska-Yukon Border as well as serving the communities of Cassiar, B.C., Mayo, Dawson, Elsa, Calumet and Keno, Yukon Territory.

Twenty-four-hour local and long distance telephone and telegraph facilities are available at all communities and at most highway stopping points. Roadside signs indicate service points.

Mobile Telephone Service is provided along the highway between Mile 101 and the Yukon-Alaska border. Coverage maps are available at all CNT offices along the Highway.

British Columbia points have access to the world through the Fort Nelson Toll Centre, while Yukon Territory points are served through Whitehorse.

Radio & Television Services

Through its Yukon Network, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation provides a radio service that covers almost all the Territory. Its local stations can be picked up on your car radio as you travel along the Alaska Highway. The Network centre is CFWH Whitehorse, broadcasting on a frequency of 570 kilocycles with a power output of 1,000 watts. Connected to it are eleven (40-watt) unmanned radio stations in the Yukon and one in Northern British Columbia. Not connected to the Yukon Network, but carrying CBC National Network Service, is a low-power relay station at Fort Nelson, B.C., broadcasting on 1110 kilocycles. The Yukon Network stations, with their frequencies in kilocycles are:

Watson Lake	990
Swift River	970
Cassiar, B.C.	1340
Teslin	940
Whitehorse	570
Haines Junction	860
Destruction Bay	940
Beaver Creek	690
Carmacks	990
Mayo	1230
Elsa	560
Dawson City	560
Clinton Creek	990

The Yukon Network offers a full range of radio programming throughout the day and night. For details, see the schedules published in the *Whitehorse Star*, or write in advance of your visit to the Manager, Radio Station CFWH, Box 730, Whitehorse, Y.T. for a programme guide.

Of special interest to motorists is the frequent broadcast of road-condition reports. During the summer months these form an important part of a programme designed for Yukon visitors called "Trail of 69". Broadcast every weekday from 2:10-2:33 p.m. this programme contains detailed highway and weather reports, interviews with tourists, tales of the Alaska Highway, the Klondike Gold Rush days, the stories about people and places in the Yukon of yesterday and today.

Visitors to the Yukon who plan to travel "off the beaten track" and who are equipped with shortwave radios will want to tune in to the CBC's Northern Service shortwave broadcasts. Programme schedules may be obtained by writing to the CBC Northern Service, Box 6000, Montréal, Québec. Letters from listeners to either the Yukon Network or the CBC's shortwave service with comments on reception and programmes are always welcome.

A television service will be available from Whitehorse, Watson Lake, Cassiar, B.C., Dawson City and Clinton Creek, commencing 1969. This service will provide four hours of daily viewing through the means of a frontier coverage package.

Bus Services

Coachways System operates a bus service from Edmonton, Alberta to Dawson Creek, B.C. and over the Alaska Highway, with service to all points in Alaska and the Yukon, including Fairbanks, Anchorage and Dawson City. Greyhound Lines of Canada service cities and towns from Winnipeg to the West Coast. Their buses also make regular runs to Edmonton, Alberta and Prince George, B.C. From Prince George, Coachways System operates daily service to Dawson Creek via the John Hart Highway.

Information concerning bus schedules may be obtained from Coachways System, Milner Building, Edmonton, Alberta; Greyhound Lines of Canada Ltd., 222 First Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, and White Pass & Yukon Route, 510 West Hastings, Vancouver 2, B.C., or White Pass & Yukon Route, P.O. Box 2147, Seattle, Washington 98111.

Railway Service, Whitehorse, Yukon Terr. - Skagway, Alaska

Regular railway service between Whitehorse and Skagway is provided by White Pass & Yukon Route. A "Family Package Plan", which consists of transporting two people and their car between Skagway and Whitehorse

(either way) for a total cost of \$65 (U.S. funds), is now in effect. Passengers and car travel on same train.

Passengers driving the Alaska Highway can check their cars south from Whitehorse to North Vancouver for \$121 (U.S. funds) when accompanied on the railway to Skagway by one full fare passenger. For rates northbound from Vancouver, please contact Passenger Traffic Manager, White Pass & Yukon Route, 1266 Vance Building, P.O. Box 2147, Seattle, Washington, 98111.

Administration of Natural Resources

The administration of natural resources along the Alaska Highway falls within the jurisdiction of the various governments concerned.

Disposal of public lands in British Columbia is administered by the British Columbia Government representative at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, or the Department of Lands, Forests and Water Resources, Victoria, British Columbia.

Territorial land in Yukon Territory may be disposed of by sale, lease, or licence of occupation. Application forms and additional information on land privileges may be obtained from the Commissioner of Yukon Territory at Whitehorse, or the Land Agents of Territorial Lands at Whitehorse, Dawson, Mayo, or Watson Lake, Yukon Territory, or from any Yukon Forest Service Ranger. Disposal of timber in the Yukon Territory is administered by the Yukon Forest Service, Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development. Timber permits and information may be obtained at any Yukon Forest Service Ranger Station or Forest Service Headquarters, mile 918, Alaska Highway, Whitehorse, Y.T.

Prospecting & Mining

Any person over 18 years of age has the right, with certain reservations, to prospect and mine upon lands in Yukon Territory where the right to mine minerals has not yet been alienated from the Crown. The fee for recording a claim is \$10. Copies of the Yukon Quartz and Placer Mining Acts and other mining regulations may be obtained from the Mining Recorders at Whitehorse, Watson Lake, Dawson, or Mayo, or the Resources Division, Indian Affairs and Northern Development, Ottawa, Canada. Information concerning mineral regulations for that section of the Alaska Highway situated within British Columbia is available from the Department of Mines, Victoria, British Columbia.

Business Opportunities

Persons planning to operate tourist camps, service stations, or other concessions along the Alaska Highway in Canada are reminded that the tourist business, particularly in this area, is a seasonal occupation. For additional information concerning business opportunities or licences in Yukon Territory, application should be made to the Commissioner of Yukon Territory at Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, or the Territorial Secretary at Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

Similar information concerning business opportunities on sites in British Columbia may be obtained from the Department of Travel Industry, Victoria, British Columbia.

Information about business opportunities and living conditions in Alaska may be obtained from the Division of Tourist and Economic Development, Department of Natural Resources, Juneau, Alaska.

Persons planning to operate bus or trucking services over the Alaska Highway must comply with provincial and territorial regulations. Application should be made to the Public Utilities Commission, Victoria, B.C., and to the Commissioner of Yukon Territory, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, or to the Territorial Agent, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

There are also loading and clearance regulations which must be adhered to. Such regulations are published by the Commissioner of the Yukon Territory and detailed loading charts are available from the Department of Public Works, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory or the Canadian Government Travel Bureau, Ottawa, Canada, and for other roads in the Territory from the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, Whitehorse. Information concerning bus or trucking services on the Alaska Highway in Alaska may be obtained from the Division of Highways, Department of Public Works, State of Alaska, P.O. Box 1361, Juneau, Alaska.

Motor vehicle operators desiring to become bonded carriers should make application to the Department of National Revenue, Customs and Excise Division, Ottawa, Canada.

Fish & Game Regulations

Fishing and hunting in the Yukon Territory are permitted under licence and during open seasons. Full information and up-to-date regulations may be obtained from the Fishery Officer, P.O. Box 2410, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, and Director of Game, P.O. Box 2703, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory. Non-residents must book hunts through a registered big game outfitter and hunters must be accompanied by a registered guide. Fishing licences are available at Royal Canadian Mounted Police detachments and at most lodges. Information and regulations ap-

plicable to British Columbia and Alberta are available from the Director, Fish & Wildlife Branch, Department of Recreation and Conservation, 525 Fort Street, Victoria, British Columbia, and the Fish and Wildlife Director, Department of Lands and Forests, Edmonton, Alberta.

Topographical Maps

Topographical maps — price 50 cents — may be obtained from the Map Distribution Office, Department of Energy, Mines and Resources, Ottawa, Canada, or from the Resident Geologist, Department of Energy, Mines and Resources, Federal Building, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

Gasoline, Meals & Accommodation

The price of gasoline along the Alaska Highway ranges from 45 cents to 69 cents per gallon depending on the distance and cost of haulage from main distribution centres in Canada and Alaska. Motorists are reminded that gasoline stations in Canada use the Imperial measure, which is one-fifth greater than the United States measure; hence five Canadian gallons are equal to six U.S. gallons.

American gasoline credit cards are readily accepted at affiliated stations along the Highway. These stations are serviced by Standard Oil, Chevron, Imperial-Esso, B-A, Texaco, and Royalite.

Prices of accommodation and food compare with those in the U.S. and main sections of Canada. In the smaller lodges a room may be obtained for \$5 and \$7 per person per night, up to \$10 or \$12 for a double room at the larger inns and hotels. Breakfast, lunch and dinner may be purchased at prices ranging from \$1.75 to \$3.

Prices quoted above may be subject to change from time to time.

Additional Information

Requests for additional information concerning the section of the Alaska Highway in British Columbia should be addressed to the Department of Travel Industry, Victoria, British Columbia; and for the part passing through Yukon Territory, to the Yukon Department of Travel and Publicity, P.O. Box 2703, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

Information about travel on the Alaska Highway within Alaska may be obtained from Division of Highways, Department of Public Works, State of Alaska, P.O. Box 1361, Juneau, Alaska.

Fairbanks

Big Delta

ALASKA

Dawson City

Mayo

Beaver Creek

**YUKON
TERRITORY**

Whitehorse
Haines Jct.

Watson Lake

Skagway

Haines

**NORTHWEST
TERRITORIES**



Fort Nelson



ALBERTA



PACIFIC

OCEAN

BRITISH
COLUMBIA

Fort St. John

Dawson Creek

Prince George

Edmonton

Prince Rupert

Queen
Charlotte
Islands

MAP OF THE Alaska Highway

Dawson Creek to Whitehorse.....918 miles

Whitehorse to Beaver Creek.....282 miles

Beaver Creek to Fairbanks.....323 miles

U.S.A.

Roadside Information

A list of accommodation, campgrounds, lunch stops and roadside facilities along the Highway will be found on the following pages. Travellers cannot expect assistance in matters of food or shelter from Department of Public Works maintenance camps.

The Yukon Territorial Government has provided free campgrounds and lunch stops along the Alaska Highway in the Yukon Territory. These facilities are intended for the convenience of travellers who carry their food and supplies. Parking areas are convenient to cooking and kitchen shelters. Each location has fireplace, tables, good water, toilets and available firewood. Campgrounds have indoor cooking ranges.

The use of campground buildings as sleeping quarters is strictly prohibited. Care should be taken to see that all

Average Monthly Rainfall & Snowfall (INCHES)

		JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	YEAR
FORT ST. JOHN	Rain	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.27	0.98	2.33	2.52	2.11	0.96	0.45	0.13	0.01	9.82
FORT ST. JOHN	Snow	12.1	11.5	10.0	6.3	2.3	0.3	0	0.9	1.6	7.6	10.6	12.8	76.0
BEATTON RIVER	Rain	*	*	0.01	0.18	1.28	2.41	2.82	1.65	0.75	0.20	0.04	*	9.34
BEATTON RIVER	Snow	8.9	11.2	9.3	8.5	4.0	0.4	0.1	0.7	3.0	7.7	9.1	9.8	72.7
FORT NELSON	Rain	0	0.01	0.02	0.23	1.39	2.60	2.56	1.99	1.17	0.37	0.02	*	10.36
FORT NELSON	Snow	9.5	10.3	10.0	5.1	1.5	*	0	*	1.7	6.4	12.1	11.1	67.7
SMITH RIVER	Rain	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.21	0.91	2.35	2.70	1.87	1.32	0.72	0.14	0.01	10.29
SMITH RIVER	Snow	13.4	11.4	9.0	5.2	2.1	0.3	0	*	1.4	8.2	13.6	15.3	79.9
WATSON LAKE	Rain	*	*	0.03	0.15	0.88	1.92	2.04	1.67	1.39	0.52	0.12	0.01	8.73
WATSON LAKE	Snow	14.1	10.7	9.1	5.3	1.0	0	0	0.1	1.3	8.9	15.1	16.9	82.5
TESLIN	Rain	*	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.60	1.12	1.43	1.44	1.26	0.59	0.10	*	6.65
TESLIN	Snow	10.8	6.9	7.5	4.3	0.7	*	0	*	1.1	6.1	11.2	12.3	60.9
WHITE-HORSE	Rain	*	*	*	0.03	0.42	1.06	1.36	1.44	0.85	0.26	0.06	0.01	5.49
WHITE-HORSE	Snow	7.0	5.6	5.9	4.0	0.8	0	0	*	1.3	4.7	8.5	7.8	45.6
AISHIHIK	Rain	*	*	0	0.03	0.58	1.50	1.75	1.63	0.51	0.05	*	*	6.05
AISHIHIK	Snow	5.1	4.1	5.0	3.2	2.5	*	0	*	2.6	5.0	6.1	4.7	38.3
SNAG	Rain	0	*	*	0.11	0.93	2.04	2.76	1.99	0.85	0.05	0.02	*	8.75
SNAG	Snow	8.9	6.7	5.5	4.8	1.8	0.3	0	0.1	2.4	6.6	8.4	7.7	53.2

*Less than 0.01 inches of rain or 0.1 inches of snow

campfires are out before leaving and travellers should report any fires to the local Yukon Forest Service Ranger or R.C.M.P. For a campfire at other than organized sites in the Yukon, it is necessary to obtain a campfire permit from the local forest ranger or Territorial Department of Travel and Publicity Information booths. However, travellers are encouraged to utilize the Forest Service camp-grounds which are located at regular intervals along all highways in the Territory.

If camping in the woods at other than organized sites in British Columbia, it is necessary to obtain a permit from local fire or conservation officers before entering bush.

A Note to Canadians . . .

who intend to travel on the Alaska Highway. Although the border regulations included in this booklet do not apply to Canadian citizens, they are advised to observe the precautionary measures designed to facilitate their journey. Information for this booklet has been compiled by the Canadian Government Travel Bureau in co-operation with the Yukon Department of Travel and Publicity, the Department of Public Works, Customs Division, Department of National Revenue, Meteorological Branch, Department of Transport, Department of Manpower and Immigration, and Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, Ottawa, Canada.



*Cabin of the famous
poet, Robert Service,
in Dawson City*

**Average
Daily
Maximum
& Minimum
Temperatures
(°F)**

		JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	YEAR
FORT ST. JOHN	Max.	12	19	30	47	62	67	71	68	61	48	28	16	44
	Min.	-3	2	14	29	40	47	51	49	41	32	15	2	26
BEATTON RIVER	Max.	6	14	27	41	57	64	69	66	57	43	24	11	40
	Min.	-12	-6	6	20	35	42	46	43	36	24	8	-6	20
FORT NELSON	Max.	-1	10	28	46	62	69	74	70	60	43	17	2	40
	Min.	-16	-9	4	23	38	46	51	47	38	25	3	-12	20
SMITH RIVER	Max.	-2	11	28	41	58	66	70	66	56	39	18	3	38
	Min.	-21	-12	1	18	33	41	45	41	34	22	1	-15	16
WATSON LAKE	Max.	-2	11	28	43	58	67	71	68	56	40	17	1	38
	Min.	-21	-14	0	20	34	44	48	44	36	25	1	-16	17
TESLIN	Max.	5	15	29	40	56	65	68	64	55	40	24	11	39
	Min.	-11	-5	7	20	32	41	45	42	35	26	11	-3	20
WHITE- HORSE	Max.	7	15	28	41	57	66	68	65	55	40	23	12	40
	Min.	-8	-2	8	22	35	43	47	44	38	27	11	-2	22
AISHIHIK	Max.	5	13	25	36	52	62	65	61	51	36	18	6	36
	Min.	-17	-12	-4	12	29	38	42	38	31	17	-1	-14	13
SNAG	Max.	-9	4	24	41	58	67	69	65	53	32	8	-8	34
	Min.	-28	-22	-9	12	32	41	45	40	29	12	-10	-25	10

—Indicates below zero

*Aerial view of road in
the Miles Canyon area*



Accommodation & Roadside Facilities

MILE	LOCATION OR ESTABLISHMENT	SERVICES AND FACILITIES	NUMBER OF ROOMS OR UNITS	TELEPHONE AND/OR TELEGRAPH SERVICE
BRITISH COLUMBIA				
0	Dawson Creek (Population 10,000)			
	Park Hotel	Accom., meals, bath, showers...	72	Yes
	McCutcheon's Motel	Accom. with cooking facilities..	11	Yes
	Windsor Hotel	80	Yes
	Mile Zero Hotel	Accom. with private showers or bath	43	Yes
	Central Motel	Accom.	12	Yes
	Dawson Hotel	Accom., meals	52	Yes
	Cedar Lodge Motel	Accom., some housekeeping, TV, heated swimming pool	35	Yes
	MacGregor	Accom. with or without cooking facilities, TV, car plug-ins	10	Yes
	Colonial Motor Inn	Accom., meals	24	Yes
	Gateway Motel	Accom.	15	Yes
	Dawson Creek			
	Travelodge, Municipal Campsite and Tourist Park	Accom. Camping 25 sites, heated outdoor pool, air conditioned, bath, shower	40	Yes
1	Trail's Motel Ltd.	Accom., cooking facilities, store, gas, oil, car repairs, car wash, swimming	22	Yes
	El Rancho Motel & Trailer Park	Accom., housekeeping units, 150 trailer stalls with gas, water, electricity, laundry, sewer ...	44	Yes
	Ridge Motel	Accom., housekeeping facilities, TV, store, trailer park, laundry	14	Yes
	Paulson's Trailer Park & Campsite	32 trailer stalls, with water, sewer, electricity, laundry, showers, stores, trailer parts, coin car wash		Yes
15	Farmington General Store	Postal distribution point, store, gas, oil		Yes
39	Taylor Hotel	Accom., meals	26	Yes
	Northern Lights Court	Laundry, showers, gas, oil, propane		Yes
41	Alcan Trailer Park	Laundry, propane, gas, showers, store, trailer hook-ups, camping		Yes
46	Crescent Park Motel	Accom., TV, camping, house-keeping facilities	5	Yes
47	Fort St. John	Meals, stores, gas, oil, repairs..		Yes
	Esta Villa Motel	Accom., meals, TV, car plug-ins, pets	15	Yes
	Blue Belle Motel	Accom., housekeeping facilities	18	Yes
	Mighty Peace Motel	Accom.	10	Yes
	Fort St. John Hotel	Accom., rooms with bath, meals	60	Yes
	El Rancho Trailer Park	Accom., meals, bath, showers, stalls, laundry		Yes
	Motel 49	Accom., kitchenettes, 6 acres camping	12	
	Fort St. John Travelodge	Accom., 8 kitchenettes	39	Yes
	Frontier Inn	Accom.	39	Yes
	CaraVan Motel	Accom.	17	
	Scott Motor Hotel	Accom.	20	
	Peace River Lodge	Accom.	10	Yes
52	Wheel-in Motel & Trailer Park	Accom. with cooking facilities, trailer parking	6	Yes
54.5	Road Junction to Hudson	Hope and Peace River Project		
73	Gordie's Service	Gas, oil, tires, minor repairs		
	Side Road to Beaton River			
93	Mile 93 Cabins & Camping	Accom.	3	
101	Coffee Shop & Garage	Meals, gas, oil, car repairs, camping, trailer facilities		Yes
	Wonowon Service Ltd.	Garage, restaurant, post office, accom., store, diesel oil, propane		

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BRITISH COLUMBIA (continued)				
143	Pink Mountain Campsite Park Service	Camping, 10 sites Gas, oil, tires, propane, store, post office, coffee shop, camping		Yes
146.5	Midway Motel & Cafe	Accom., meals, minor repairs, camping	4	Yes
147.5	Sikanni Chief	Flight Strip No. 2.....		
162	Sikanni Chief Canyon Motel	Housekeeping cabins, showers, groceries	6	Yes
200	Trutch Lodge	Accom., housekeeping cabins, meals, gas, oil, Imperial Oil, hunting & guide service, garage	8	Yes
222	Prophet River	Flight Strip No. 3.....		
245	Prophet River Esso Service and Cafe	Meals, gas, oil, minor repairs... Gas, oil, tire repairs, meals.....		Yes
299.5	Parker's Esso Service	Stores, repairs, post office		
300	Fort Nelson	Accom., bath, showers, meals, CPA office, drug store, Canadian Coachways stop, shopping centre	48	Yes
	Fort Nelson Hotel	Gas		Yes
	Muskwa Service	Accom., car plug-ins	10	Yes
	Pioneer Motel	Accom., meals	54	Yes
	Canuck Hotel	Accom., 10 kitchenettes	17	Yes
	Motel Shannon			
	Avonlee Motor Hotel-Motel	Accom., meals		Yes
	Blue Bell Motel	Accom., 8 kitchen units, laundry facilities, car plug-ins	17	Yes
	Park Lane Motel	Accom.	4	Yes
	Fort Nelson Trailer Court Ltd.	54 sites		Yes
308	Homestead Cafe Service	Meals, gas, oil, overnight camping		
351	Summit Lake	Highest point along the Highway, elevation 4,156 feet		
392	The Summit Motel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, car repairs, store, trailer space ..	4	Yes
397	Rocky Mountain Auto Court	Accom., housekeeping cabins, meals, gas, oil, minor car repairs	8	Yes
403.4	115 Creek	Camping		
408	Circle T Motel	Accom., cooking facilities, store, meals, campground		Yes
419		Guides and outfitters		
422	Toad River Lodge Ltd.	Accom., meals, cabins, gas, oil, repairs, trailer, camping space, guide service for big game, hunting and fishing licenses..	14	Yes
442	The Village Hotel-Motel	Accom., some housekeeping cottages, showers, meals, gas, oil, British American, repairs, welding, warm storage, store, trailer park, campground, good hunting and fishing	14	
456	Motoring Service	Gas, oil, Imperial Oil, tires, repairs, mechanic, welding, post office		Yes
462	Highland Glen Cabins	Accom., cabins, rooms all equipped with bathrooms, meals, gas, oil, gas and float plane docks	10	Yes
463	Muncho Lake Lodge	Accom., meals, showers, gas, oil, store, tires, repairs, outfitters, guides	10	Yes
463.3	Wiebe's Wilderness Motel and Fishing Camp	Accom., housekeeping units, fishing guides, hunting and fishing licenses, camping, trailer parking, laundry, groceries, ice, boats, showers, gas, oil, restaurant, tire repairs	7	Yes

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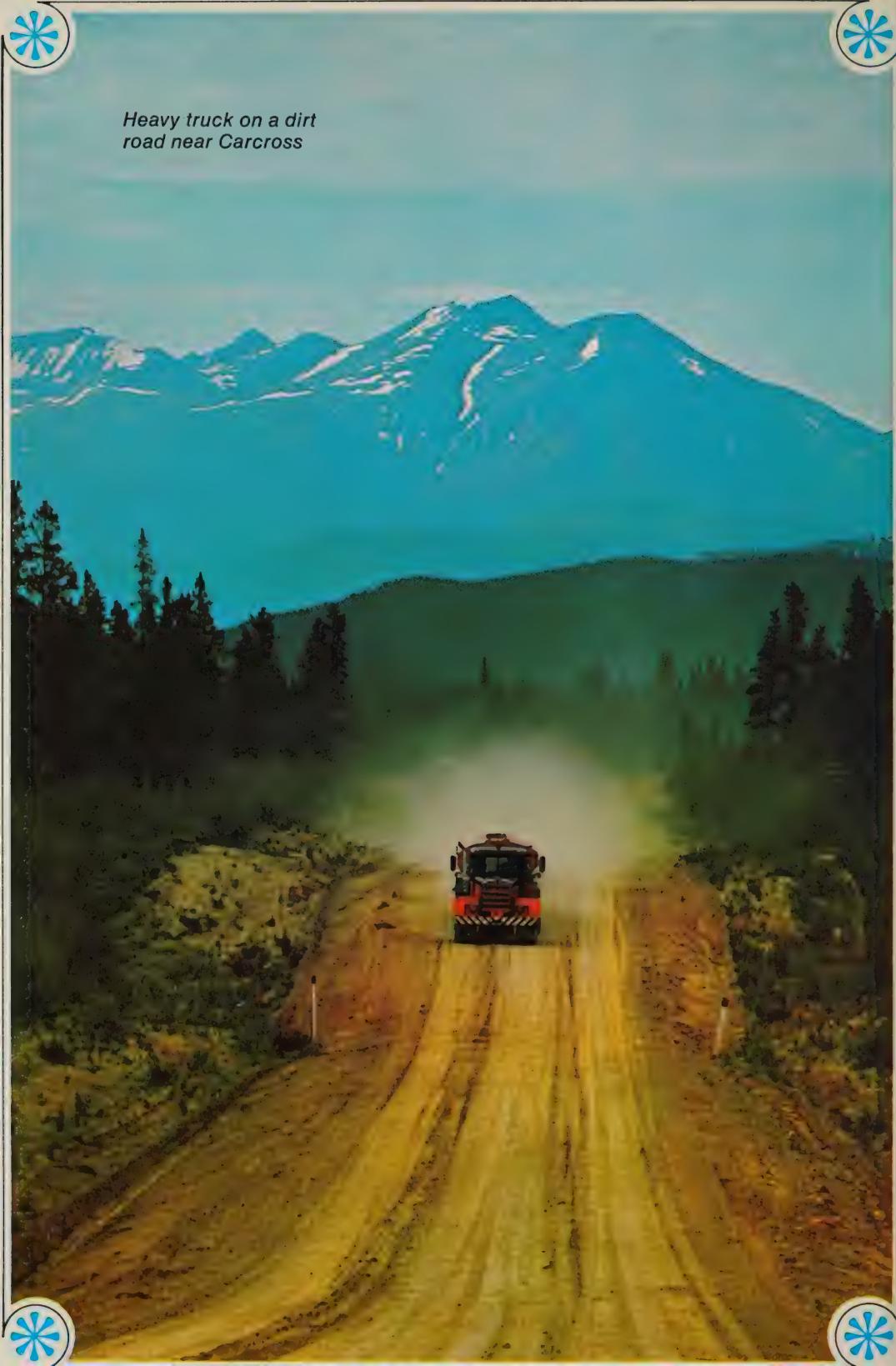
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BRITISH COLUMBIA (continued)				
496	Liard River Hotel	Accom., rooms, housekeeping cabins, meals, gas, oil, British American, minor car repairs, postal distribution point, trailer space	15	Yes
496.5	Liard River	Hot springs, camping during summer months		
507.5	Liard River	Flight Strip No. 4.....		
538.5		Campground on short sideroad to Whirlpool Canyon		
543	Fireside	C.N.T. station and maintenance camp		
	Fireside Inn Ltd.	Hotel, motel units	29	
	Riverview Esso Service	Store, gas, oil, diesel oil, minor repairs, trailer parking		
YUKON TERRITORY				
590	Contact Creek Esso Service	Camping, gas, oil, tires and tire repairs, springwater, coffee shop and store	1	Yes
596	Iron Creek Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, minor car repairs, wrecker service, tires and tire service, heated storage, fishing licenses	6	Yes
620	Lower Post Hotel (B.C.)	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, wrecking service, warm storage, store, trailer parking	16	Yes
627	B.C.-Yukon Border	Campground—H		
632	Watson Lake (Yukon)	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, ice, stores, post office, drug store, laundromat, groceries, souvenirs, charter flights to fishing camp, nursing station		
635	Watson Lake	Accom., meals, bank, ladies wear, taxi, licensed lounge, plug-ins	35	Yes
	Belvedere Motor Hotel	Accom., meals, housekeeping units, diesel fuel, gas, oil, tires, repairs, electric plug-ins, warm car storage, licensed lounge	16	Yes
	Cedar Lodge Motel	Accom., meals, housekeeping units, diesel fuel, gas, oil, tires, repairs, electric plug-ins, warm car storage, licensed lounge	19	Yes
	Jac and Mac's Hotel & Cabins	Accom., meals, gas, oil, tires, tire repairs, diesel fuel, electric plug-ins	19	Yes
	Sportsman Motel	Accom.	15	Yes
	Venture Hotel	Accom., meals, bus depot, barber shop, dry cleaners, licensed lounge	25	Yes
	Watson Lake Hotel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, diesel fuel, electric plug-ins, licensed lounge, taxi, expediting service, housekeeping units	6	Yes
	Twilite (Chevron) Service	Gas, oil, tire repairs, tires, major repairs, towing		
636	God's Little Acre Trailer Park	Water, electricity, public showers, laundromat, 45 hook-ups		
642.7	Upper Liard Motel	Accom., meals, store, gas, oil, repairs, towing, trailer parking, postal service, tavern		
	Cafe & Service Station	87 miles	6	Yes
648	Road to Cassiar, B.C.	Campground—H, F		
674	Big Creek	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, souvenirs, heated storage, diesel fuel, electric plug-ins, trailer space parking, licensed dining lounge		
687	Transport Cafe and Motel	Accom., meals, kitchenette apts., gas, oil, minor car repairs, tires, store, fishing licenses, warm car storage, trailer parking, postal service, diesel fuel, licensed dining lounge	10	
710	Rancheria Hotel & Motel	Accom., meals, kitchenette apts., gas, oil, minor car repairs, tires, store, fishing licenses, warm car storage, trailer parking, postal service, diesel fuel, licensed dining lounge	15	Yes
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YUKON TERRITORY (continued)				
710.1	Rancheria	Campground—H, F		
722.3		Flight Strip No. 5		
733	Swift River	Campground		
733.3	Swift River Auto Hotel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, storage, store, fishing licenses, trailer park, ice, postal service		
777	Morley River	Campground—H, B, F	14	Yes
777.7	Morley River Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, warm storage, laundromat, showers, ice, store, trailer park, postal service, diesel oil, tavern	13	Yes
803	Nisutlin Bay Bridge	Longest span on Highway		
804	Teslin	RCMP station, churches, school, garages, store, post office, seaplane base, Indian Village		
	Teslin Lake Motors	Gas, oil, major repairs, tires, heated storage		Yes
	Teslin Lake Motel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, trailer space, boat rental, fishing guide, store, propane, ice, towing service, tavern, electric plug-ins		Yes
	Yukon Motel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, tires and tire repairs, electric plug-ins, trailer space, parking, boat rental, aviation gas	18	Yes
	Nisutlin Trading Post	General store, post office, gas, oil, boats	4	
	*Nisutlin Bay Lodge	Accom., meals, electric plug-ins, licensed dining lounge	10	Yes
806.7	*Fox Point Lodge	Accom., coffee shop, gas, oil, minor repairs, free lakeside camping, picnic sites, excellent water, tables, fireplaces and cut wood, trailer hook-ups, fishing guides for lake trout, authentic Tlingit Indian handwork, curios, showers, fishing licenses, postal service, specializing in home-baked goods and fresh lake trout dinners, electric plug-ins	9	Yes
813	Teslin Lake	Campground—H, B, S, F		
	Mackinaw Campsite	Gas, oil, laundry, showers, confectionery store, water, tires and tire service, ice		
829	Brook's Brook		
836	Canol Road Junction	59.5 miles to campground at Quiet Lake — H, B, S, F. 138 miles to Ross River trading post, road open in summer only. No facilities along route. Accommodation and meals at Ross River Motel	12	
837	Johnson's Crossing	Campground—H, B, S, F		
	Fishing Guide Service	Trailer and camper parking space, fishing licenses		
	Johnson's Crossing Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, minor car repairs, diesel oil, towing, boats, fishing guide, heated storage, trailer space, postal service, tavern	10	Yes
843		Flight Strip No. 6		
849.5	Squanga Lake Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, diesel oil, fishing guides, boats, trailer space, ice, electric plug-ins, warm storage	4	
	Squanga Lake	Campground — H, B, S, F		
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YUKON TERRITORY (continued)				
865	Crystal Palace (Jake's Corner)	Accom., meals, gas, oil, diesel oil, tires and tire repairs, towing, electric plug-ins, trailer space, parking, service station, licensed lounge	10	
866	Pine Tree Service Jake's Corner Services	Service station, store Junction Atlin and Carcross roads, accom., meals, gas, oil 61 miles to Atlin, B.C. Accom., meals, store, post office, gas, oil, campground (H, B, S, F), gold panning.	8	
	Crystal Palace Motel	33 miles to Carcross, Y.T. Accom., meals, gas, oil, store (F, B, S, H). Campground at Tagish Lake, boat launching ramp. Mile 13—H, B, S, F		Yes
	Judas Creek	Accom., service station, tires, grocery store, restaurant, heated swimming pool	10	Yes
883	*Marsh Lake Resort	Campground—F		
		Accom., meals, guided fishing and hunting trips, boat rental, gas, trailer parking, house-keeping facilities, oil, souve- nirs, cocktail lounge		
890	Marsh Lake	Campground, pumps, well—H, B, S, F	20	Yes
897	Yukon River Bridge and Dam	For many years the only dam on the Yukon River when driving north		
904.8	Junction Carcross Road	31 miles to Carcross. Accom., meals, at Caribou Hotel	22	
		Post office, store, gas, oil, Indian cemetery, railroad station, sandy beach—H, B, S, F		
907	Wolf Creek	Campground—H, F		Yes
910	McCrae Inn	Accom., meals, gas, oil, diesel fuel, propane, car repairs, trailer space, warm car storage, tavern		
911		Sideroad to Miles Canyon	10	Yes
	*Chenechee Trailer Park	Scenic road to Whitehorse along Yukon River and Schwatka Lake. Narrow road with steep grades. Miles Canyon View-point, lunch stop		
		Tenting, trailer, and camper hook-ups, hot clean showers..		Yes
913	Arctic Tire Service	Gas, oil, diesel oil, tires and tire repairs, welding, parking space, minor car repairs		Yes
915	South Access Road to Whitehorse	Point of embarkation of M.V. "Schwatka". New hydro-elec- tric power dam, fish ladder ..		
916	Whitehorse Airport & RCAF Station	RCAF residential area on left, going north		Yes
917	Traffic Circle	Meals, gas, oil, repairs. Two-mile sideroad descends to Whitehorse City centre		Yes
	Circle Service	Gas, oil, diesel fuel, repairs, tires, meals		Yes
918	Whitehorse	All facilities: Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, storage, mu- seum, post office, laundromat, car wash, ice, etc.		Yes
	Alpine Hotel	Accom., community kitchen	24	Yes
	Capital Hotel	Accom.	23	Yes
	Chilkoot Motel	Accom.	26	Yes
	Edgewater Motel	Accom., meals	15	Yes
	Baranov Motel	Accom., cooking facilities	25	Yes
	'98 Hotel	Accom.	16	Yes
	Nomic Hotel	Accom.	30	Yes

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Heavy truck on a dirt road near Carcross



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YUKON TERRITORY (continued)				
	Regina Hotel	Accom.	40	Yes
	Shannon Motel	Accom., cooking facilities	15	Yes
	Stephen Hotel	Accom.	26	Yes
	Stratford Motel	Accom., cooking facilities	49	Yes
	Taku Hotel	Accom., meals, cocktail lounge.	56	Yes
	*Taku Motel	Accom.	9	Yes
	Tourists Services	Accom., meals, store, bakery, cooking facilities, cocktail lounge	16	Yes
	Whitehorse Inn	Accom., meals	65	Yes
	Whitehorse Travelodge	Accom., meals, cocktail lounge	21	Yes
	The New North Motel	Accom., cooking facilities	20	Yes
	Ben-Elle Motel	Accom.	6	Yes
918.5	Kopper King Services	Cabaret, tavern, store, gas, oil, ice	8	Yes
919	Junction of Road to Louise & Fish Lakes (Jackson Lakes)	15 miles to Louise Lake: Lunch stop—H, B, F		
921	Casa Loma Motel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, trailer space	15	Yes
	Porter Creek Garage	Gas, oil, repairs, tires		Yes
922	Porter Creek Lodge	Accom.	6	Yes
925	Junction Mayo-Dawson Road	225 miles to Mayo; 335 miles to Dawson City		
958		Recreation road to Kusawa Lake, 18 miles (summer only), lunch stop, camping—H, F, B		
968	Mendenhall Creek Bert & Audrey's Mendenhall Creek Lodge	Campground—H Accom., meals, store, gas, oil, towing, ice, showers, postal service, tavern, diesel oil, electric plug-ins	10	Yes
974	Champagne	Historic trading post, now almost abandoned. Big game guide headquarters. Indian graveyard		Yes
996	Junction Aishihik Road	74 miles to Aishihik airport. Lunch stop Otter Falls, 18 miles—H, B, S, F. 60 miles to Echo Valley Fishing Camp; accom., meals, guides, boat rental		
	Canyon Creek Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, towing, postal service, tavern	10	Yes
1013	Pine Creek	Campground—H, B, F		
1016	Junction Haines Road Haines Junction	Side road to Flight Strip No. 7. 159 miles to Haines, Alaska R.C.M.P., churches, post office, school, stores, etc.		
	Brewster House	Accom.	5	Yes
	Fairdale Store	General store, fishing licenses..		
	Brewster's Lodge	Accom., trailer hook-ups, laundromat, big game guide, gas & oil, Texaco, diesel oil, tavern, electric plug-ins		
	Haines Junction Inn	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, towing, propane, ice, diesel oil, warm storage, cocktail lounge, electric plug-ins	13	Yes
	Backe Service	Gas, oil, repairs, tires, towing, welding		
	Brewster's Service	Gas, oil		
1017	Stardust Motel	Accom., free camping, tires and tire repairs, towing	6	
1019	Canada Dept. of Agriculture Experimental Farm		Yes
1022	Mackintosh Lodge, Cafe & Store	Accom., meals, store, gas, oil, warm storage, postal service, trailer parking space, tires and tire repairs, electric plug-ins.	7	Yes
1028	Bear Creek Summit	Elevation 3,204 feet		
1038	Sulphur Lake	Campground—H, B, S, F		
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YUKON TERRITORY (concluded)				
1054	*Sheep Mountain Motel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, tire repairs, tires, towing, trailer space parking	4	Yes
1060	Slim's River Bridge		
1061	Soldier's Summit	Scene of formal opening of Highway, Nov. 20, 1942		
1063	*Bayshore Motel	Accom., meals, licensed dining room, service station, trailer camp	7	
1064	Kluane Lake	Campground—H, B, F		
1072	Goose Bay	Campground—H, B, F		
1083	Destruction Bay Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, store, post office, car storage, diesel fuel, complete garage facilities, tavern, tires and tire repairs, electric plug-ins, trailer parking space	16	Yes
	*Talbot Arm Motel	Cabins, boat rental, trailer parking, camping, oil, gas, towing, tires and tire repairs	8	
1093	Burwash Lodge	Accom., meals, kitchen facilities, store, gas, oil, ice, minor car repairs, trailer space, fishing, tires and tire repairs, cocktail lounge, boat rental, electric plug-ins	27	Yes
	Jacquot Bros.	Guide services		
1095		Burwash Flight Strip		
1105	Burwash Flats	Campground, pump, well—H		
1118	Travellers' Services	Cafe, hotel, motel, tavern, service station	14	Yes
	*Mount Kennedy Motel	Cabin rooms, cooking units	25	Yes
1128	Bradley's Mountain View	Accom., housekeeping cabins, gas, oil, towing, welding, tire and major car repairs	4	Yes
1147	Pine Valley Motel and Service Centre	Accom., kitchenette, gas, oil, tire repairs, towing, ice and water, camping area with showers, dumping station, diesel oil, car repairs, auto storage in winter, electric plug-ins, groceries	3	
1152	Lake Creek	Campground—H, F		
1155	Pickhandle Lake	Campground		
1169	Bradley's White River Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, towing service, store, trailer space, postal service, diesel oil, tires and tire repairs, auto storage in winter, trailer space parking	11	Yes
1184	Dry Creek	Shushanna Gold Rush trail may be seen		
1188	Snag Junction	17 miles to Snag airfield and radio range		
1188.5	Snag Junction	Campground		
1200	Beaver Creek Livesey's Hi-way Services	General store, post office, fishing licenses, gas, oil, car repairs, welding, trailer park...		
1202	*Als/Kon Border Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, car storage, trailer park	62	Yes
	Ida's Motel	Accom., meals, confectionery, housekeeping facilities, gas, oil, trailer hook-ups, tavern and package liquor, electric plug-ins, propane, car storage, cocktail lounge		
	Beaver Creek Motors	Gas, oil	8	Yes
	Canadian Immigration & Customs Office	Hours - Period - 7 a.m. - 11 p.m. Oct. 1 - April 30 24 hour service May 1 - Sept. 30		Yes
1221	Canada-Alaska Boundary			
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WHITEHORSE-MAYO HIGHWAY				
3.7	Junction Takhini-Hot Springs Road	6 miles to Hot Springs swimming pool, cabins, snack bar, camping		
20.3	Lake Laberge	2-mile sideroad to campground—H, B, F		Yes
35	Fox Lake	Campground—H, B, F; S; boat rental		
71.5	Twin Lakes	Campground—H, B, F		
103	Carmacks	Historic river settlement. RCMP post, school, church		
	Carmacks Hotel	Accom., meals, gas, oil, tire repairs, trailer parking, store ..	10	Yes
	Taylor & Drury Carlene's	General store, gas, oil		
	Klondike Lodge	Gas, oil, tire shop, minor car repairs, welding, propane, tires, towing	7	
	Sunset Motel	Accom., meals, gas, oil	6	
103.5	Roxy's Trading Post	Accom., meals, cocktail lounge	21	
116	View of Five Finger Rapids	Store, curios, fur dealer		
118	Tatchun Creek	Campground—H, F		
118.5	Recreation road to Frenchman Lake, 15 miles (summer only)	Lunch stop, camping—H, F, B ..		
142	Midway Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, mechanic, post office, cabins, trailer space, store, diesel fuel, parking, electric plug-ins, licensed dining lounge	3	Yes
168	Pelly River Lodge	Accom., meals, store, gas, oil, repairs, big game and fishing guide services, ice, postal service, tires and tire repairs, tavern, electric plug-ins	6	Yes
205	Recreation road to Ethel Lake, 20 miles, steep grades (summer only)	Lunch stop, camping—H, F, B ..		
213	Stewart Crossing Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, trailer space, towing, postal service, parking, tavern	9	Yes
245	Junction—Dawson Road Mayo	122 miles to Dawson City		
	Chateau Mayo	Accom., meals, auto services, stores, chartered flights to fishing camps, campground—H, F		Yes
	Silver Inn	Accom., meals, cocktail lounge, electric plug-ins	16	Yes
	Tim-o-Lou Motel	Accom., meals, tavern	11	Yes
	Huttons Service	Accom., housekeeping facilities	9	Yes
277	Elsa	Gas, oil, repairs		Yes
287	Keno	United Keno Hill mining town. No tourist facilities		Yes
	Keno City Hotel	Meals, accom., gas, oil	15	Yes
		Accom., meals, cocktail lounge		
DAWSON HIGHWAY				
0	Stewart River Crossing	Mile 213 Mayo Highway		Yes
15	Moose Creek	Campground—H, F		
56	Gravel Lake Lodge	Meals, gas, oil		Yes
100	Rock Creek	Campground		
113	Dawson City	Accom., gas, oil, repairs, meals, stores, post office, museum, gold panning, boat and district tours arranged		
	Downtown Hotel & Motel	Accom., cocktail lounge	20	Yes
*Flora Dora Hotel	Accom.	13	Yes	
*Gold Nugget Hotel	Accom.	10	Yes	
*Log Cabin Motel	Accom., cooking facilities	10	Yes	
*Service Motel	Accom.	12	Yes	
	Dawson City Motors	Gas, oil, repairs	12	Yes

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DAWSON HIGHWAY (concluded)				
114	Klondike Motors *Westminster Hotel *Whitehouse Apartment, Motel & Cabins Northwest Motel West Dawson	Gas, oil, repairs Accom., meals Accom., cooking facilities Accom. Campground—H, B, F	25 8 10	Yes Yes Yes
SIXTY-MILE ROAD				
	Dawson City to Alaska Border—60 miles; 180 miles to Tetlin Junction on Alaska Highway			
60	Dawson City	Ferry across Yukon River operates continuously throughout summer months except for four hours daily; i.e., one hour each at 6:00 a.m., 12 noon, 6:00 p.m., and 12 midnight ..		
9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. daily while 60-Mile Road is passable. Approximates dates are May 15th to September 15th				
143.2	Little Gold Creek Canadian Immigration & Customs Office			
159	Alaska-Yukon Border			
HAINES ROAD				
0	Haines, Alaska	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, ferry terminal		Yes
42	Canadian Immigration & Customs Office	7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. P.S.T. in summer. Check ahead for winter hours and road conditions		
125	*Dezadeash Lodge	Accom., meals, gas, oil, repairs, fishing, boat and jeep (rentals), horses, camping, trailer park, cocktail lounge, diesel fuel, tires and tire repairs, towing, trailer space parking, guided fishing trips, transportation provided for exploration parties	15	Yes
143.2	Kathleen Lake	Campground—H, B, S, F		
159	Haines Junction	Mile 1016 on Alaska Highway ..		
ROSS RIVER ROAD				
	Ross River		
	Ross River Motel	Accom.	12	
WATSON LAKE TO CARMACKS ROAD				
50	Simpson Lake	Campground		
68	Nahanni Range Road to intersection, 115 miles to Canada Tungsten Mine		
220	Ross River	Campground		
245	Faro	Motel, service station		

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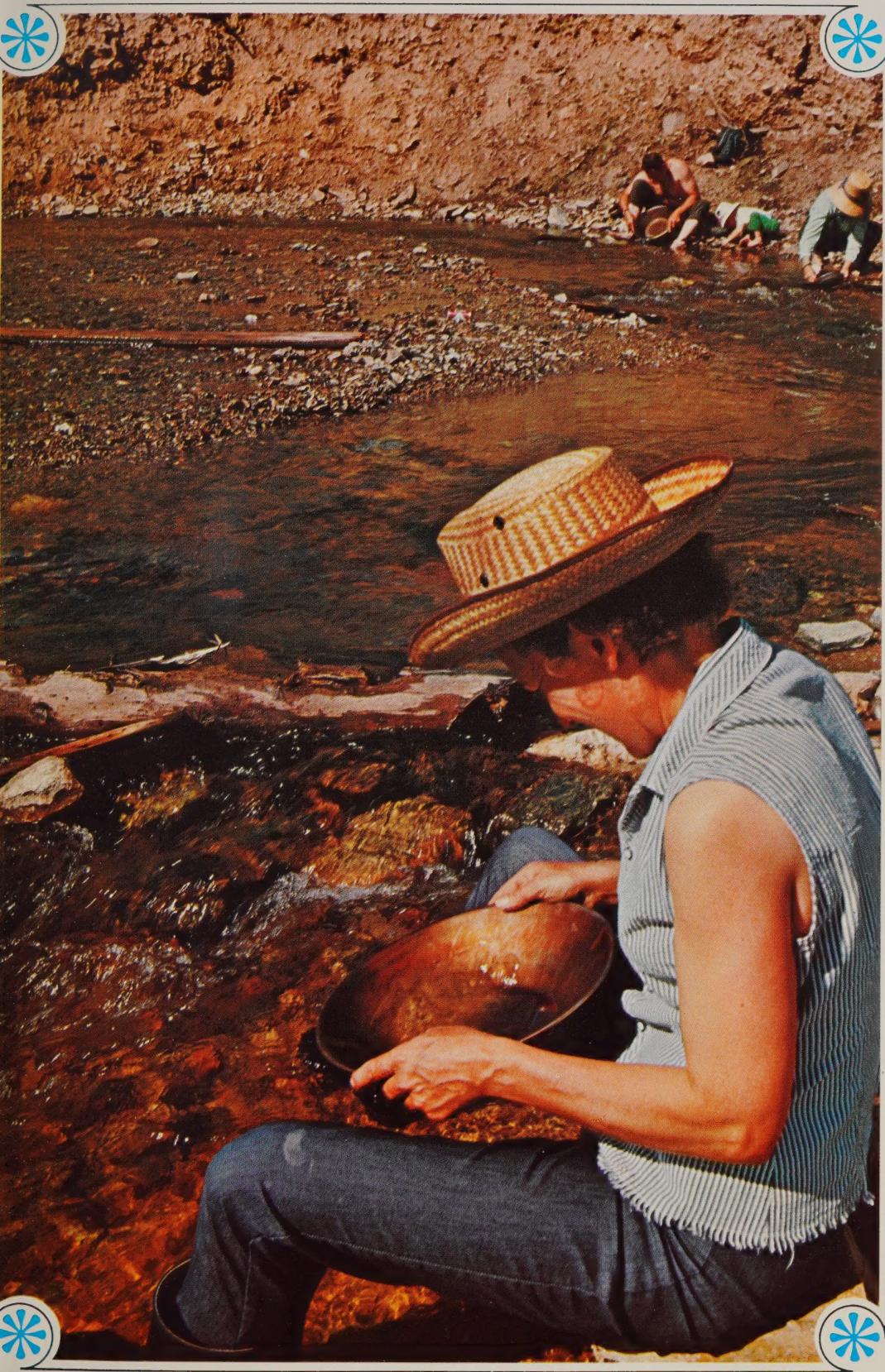
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